AGENDA FOR THE HOWARD COUNTY VETERANS AND MILITARY FAMILIES COMMISSION

THURSDAY; JANUARY 4, 2018: Government Office Building; 6751 Gateway Drive; Columbia, Maryland TIME: 7:00PM—8:30PM

The Commission Meeting is open to the public

CHAIRMAN:

- 7:00PM Call to order
- Recognition of Invited Guests and Presenters
 - Gardens for Heroes To nurture veterans and their families with the development of private and public therapeutic gardens and horticulture vocational programs.
 - o County Admin to discuss small veteran business legislation
- Consideration of December 2017 Commission meeting minutes
- Future Commission meeting dates: February 1, March 1; April 10 (Annual Veterans and Military Families Resource Fair)
- Veterans Monument Current Status
- Proposed budget expenditures for January June 2018
- Letter of Appreciation to Mount Hebron High School Marching Band
- Solicitation for input material for the Commission Annual Report
- Update on the County Executive revision for Council resolution 121-2017 in support of veteran owned businesses
- Appropriate time for plaque presentation to Oakland Mills High School IROTC unit
- Special thanks to Allison for coordinating the Veterans Commission social

GENERAL BUSINESS AGENDA

- Veterans Court Initiative update
- Update on annual Veterans Resource Fair scheduled for April 10, 2018
- Update on Reserved Veterans Parking initiative
- Commission involvement in Memorial Day activities

OTHER COMMISSION BUSINESS

- Executive Secretary/Office of Veterans and Military Families
- Other Commission members
- Guests

CHAIRMAN:

- Closing Comments
- Meeting Adjourn